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Councilmember Frye Instrumental in Identifying Extra General Fund Dollars

On May 15, Councilmember Frye and City Attorney Mike Aguirre announced the end of a lawsuit brought by the City of San Diego against *Fax.com*. The lawsuit, filed in regards to unsolicited faxes sent to city offices, resulted in a \$428,000 settlement.

After tracking junk faxes sent to the District Six Council office since 2003, Councilmember Frye urged the City Attorney to take legal action against fax companies not complying with the law. Using information provided by the Councilmember detailing when each fax was sent and when each individual fax removal list number was called, the city sued *Fax.com* for violation of federal laws that protect consumers against unsolicited advertisements via fax and pre-recorded messages. Councilmember Frye felt initiating such action was vital in forcing these companies to comply with the law.

"The actions taken against Fax.com has resulted in over \$400,000 for the taxpayers..."

In 2003, the City Attorney obtained a stipulated judgment against *Fax.com* and an injunction to stop sending faxes to city offices. Although *Fax.com* did stop sending junk faxes, they eventually defaulted on the judgment and the company dissolved. In early 2006, the City Attorney's Civil Revenue and Recovery Section reinstated the lawsuit against *Fax.com*'s officers in their individual capacities, resulting in the \$428,000 settlement.

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National Association of Letter Carriers — Annual Food Drive

Each year, the National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) organize a nationwide food drive to assist the millions of children that are classified as "food insecure" in the United States. This event

is the largest one-day food drive in the nation.

Last year's drive was successful in collecting 71.3 million pounds of food; and for the 2006 drive, over 1,300 NALC branches nationwide signed up to take part! NALC volunteers were joined by Councilmember Frye and other elected officials to show their support of this incredible undertaking.



Thanks to the NALC, community food banks and shelters can depend on this important event to help fill their shelves!



From left to right, Congresswoman Susan Davis, Councilmember Frye, CSALC Officer Jim Walzenbach, Kirsten Clemons from Assemblymember Lori Saldaña's Office and members of the NALC stop to smile for the camera.

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Congratulations to the 2006 District Six Mother of the Year!



Thanks to a wonderful package of letters and drawings done by her five sons, Robin Hurtado has been chosen as the 2006 District Six Mother of the Year!

The Clairemont family has nothing but kudos for mom. According to their 12-year-old son Bernardo, mom sacrifices her time for the kids, always comforts them when they're in a bad mood and there is always love to spare. Ten-year-old Mateo loves his mom's Saturday morning pancakes and thanks her for her patience while she home schools all five boys. Six-year-old Emilio loves his mom because she does fun things with him and 4-year-old Bernardo says he loves his mom the most, and included a drawing to prove it. When mom's not busy taking 2-year-old Leo to speech class, she encourages his creativity, as apparent by the wonderful drawing he sent in to show us just how much he loves his mom.

Thanks to the Chili's in Clairemont Towne Square, Mom, Dad and all five boys enjoyed a free Mother's Day dinner. Manager Mike Brooks let us know how pleased they were with Councilmember Frye's selection and mentioned that the great behavior of the kids is just one more sign of how great Robin is.



The Hurtado family snapped a photo in their backyard (right after little Leo had been woken up from his afternoon nap!)

Congratulations Robin! Thanks for all that you do!

Congratulations to the High Tech Middle School Media Arts Students!

The students of High Tech Middle School Media Arts visited the City Council on May 15, 2006 to participate in the celebration of this year's River Day.

The 7th grade team of students from Point Loma presented the Mission Valley Branch Library with a complimentary copy of the book that was written and illustrated by the students themselves, "Nico the Gnat-catcher and the Upside Down River." Partnering with the San Diego River Park Foundation, the students made the book with a 3rd grade audience in mind, hoping to provide something that could be read aloud by teachers, parents and librarians. They also wanted to help raise local awareness about the wonderful 52 miles of river that flow in San Diego, from the mountains to the beach.



The big group of students spoke to Councilmember Frye before gearing up to present their work of art before the City Council and members of the public.

The project was funded by a grant from the National Geographic Society Education Foundation, which provides these grants in an effort to help each new generation become geographically literate.

Thanks to these creative students, children at the Mission Valley Library now have a great resource to learn about our incredible local treasure.



Paws, Claws, Scales and Tales Summer Reading Club

The North Clairemont Branch Library, located at 4616 Clairemont Drive, invites District Six kids to join them in the Paws, Claws, Scales and Tales Summer Reading Club!

From June 15 to August 15, kids can read books, earn prizes and check out a pet photography exhibit. These free programs are sponsored by the North Clairemont Friends of the Library.



The Reading Club will also offer the free events listed below throughout the summer reading club session.

Saturday, June 17 at 10:30 am
Rahim the Magnificent Magician

Thursday, June 22 at 10:30 am
Music Box Storytellers - Live Interactive Theatre

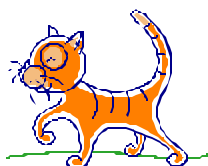
Thursday, June 29 at 10:30 am
Cartooning with John Van Den Eykel

Thursday, July 13 at 10:30
Animal Scales & Science Tales
with Mad Science!

Thursday, July 20 at 10:30 am
Wild Wonders - Live animals!

Thursday, Aug. 3 at 10:30 am
Sparkles the Clown!

Saturday, Aug. 12 at 10:30 am
Grand Finale Party with Magician
Amazing Dana



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City Attorney Aguirre stated, "The City Attorney's office is dedicated to protecting the taxpayers from this type of consumer fraud and we will continue to pursue more cases like this on behalf of the citizens of San Diego."



Councilmember Frye added, "The action taken against *Fax.com* has resulted in over \$400,000 for the taxpayers and sends a clear message to these fax companies that San Diegans are serious about stopping unsolicited faxes to our businesses and homes."

The Councilmember expressed strong feelings on the issue and stated that, "It is crucial for people concerned with this problem at their own home or office to take a minute to call the fax removal phone number on the junk fax to have their number removed from the distribution list. If the request is ignored, the citizen can sue the company for damages."

Trees, Trees and More Trees!

On May 6, Councilmember Frye joined Serra Mesa community volunteers and Urban Corps to plant a total of 53 trees in Serra Mesa and nine in Linda Vista.



Among the different types of trees that were planted were Hong Kong Orchids, Purple

Leaf Plums, Jacarandas, Crape Myrtle, African Sumans and Bradford Bears.

Planting trees along public streets not only beautify communities but also help abate the problem of urban heat islands, unnecessary runoff and have even been proven to slow speeds!

Thanks Urban Corps! With their help, Councilmember Frye will continue to plant many more trees in District Six communities.



Senior Community Centers

~2006 Heroes Luncheon~



On Friday, May 5, 2006, Councilmember Frye proudly joined the award recipients for the Senior Community Centers' Annual Heroes Luncheon.

Each year, this wonderful organization comes closer to fulfilling their vision of creating an environment where seniors living in poverty are respected, and live free of fear with pride and dignity. Through their annual Heroes Luncheon, they recognize individuals and organizations that help them move closer to realizing this ambitious goal.

Winners were presented to the following recipients in these four categories:

Volunteer Hero: KPMG Serving Seniors for five years of dedication in not only serving warm meals to some of our deserving senior population, but much more;

Community Hero: John Rainsford (see Donna thanking him at right) for his generous donations to several residence halls and his support of San Diego's impoverished senior population;



Senior Hero: The Potiker Ambassadors, a group of residents living in the Potiker Family Senior Residence, for serving as the building's Residents' Committee, working directly with the building management to address security issues, tenant disagreements, ensure rules and regulations are enforced, monitor safety and maintenance needs, act as a referral source for services, and, still have time to assist and look out for frail, isolated residents; and

Advocacy Hero: Councilmember Donna Frye for being a staunch advocate for the rights of seniors, especially those living in poverty. She was instrumental in obtaining critical funding for the Transitional Housing Program and spearheaded the effort to get funding for assisted living beds at St. Paul's Manor. She also made sure these funds were renewed each year, ensuring that homeless seniors with special needs have access to this life-saving — and life-changing program.



Councilmember Frye was extremely proud to accept this award as senior issues have always been near and dear to her heart. She thanks Senior Community Centers for all their hard work, and congratulates her fellow awardees for their dedication to such a worthy cause!

Have An Extra Room to Share?

Education First is a worldwide organization that specializes in international education by offering language learning, academic and university preparation and cultural exchange programs.



This year, their Educational Homestay Program is finding host families for 100 international students coming to San Diego. Students will be flying in from July 12 to August 8 from Russia, China, Switzerland and Spain.

The program provides English lessons in the morning and cultural/educational activities in the afternoons. Activities include tours of the Maritime Museum, Mission, Surf Museum, downtown fire house, and Channel 8 studios, thanks to a Channel 8 producer and host family.

Education First is hoping to find families for 70 more students and ask that students be provided with a bed, meals and spoken English.



If you would like to share in this multicultural experience, please contact Educational Homestay Program Coordinator, Vickie Emigh at (619) 276-5530.



Councilmember Frye and Paul Downey, President & CEO of Senior Community Centers.



Councilmember Frye & YMCA Break Ground on New Pool!



Councilmember Frye joined the Mission Valley YMCA on May 9th to help celebrate the groundbreaking of their new pool! The new pool will be a "cold-water" pool, which will allow the conversion of the existing pool to warmer water. Scheduled for completion in April 2007, the pool will measure 25-yards by 25-meters.



Councilmember Frye took some time to congratulate the YMCA for this new endeavor.

To protect the San Diego River, Council member Frye and the YMCA have worked together to ensure that proper water quality measures were incorporated, including the installation of special porous concrete, a hydro-dynamic separator to trap pollutants, a vegetative buffer and the elimination of a dirt parking lot.

Councilmember Frye is pleased with the terrific job the YMCA has done in balancing the need for a new and updated facility in an environmentally friendly way.

The Mission Valley YMCA is currently celebrating its 25th Anniversary and continues to serve Mission Valley and its surrounding communities. Congratulations to the YMCA for beginning this wonderful new addition to their facility!



Councilmember Frye, Mission Valley YMCA Board Chair Jim Krause, Head of Aquatics Matt Pentland and YMCA program kids initiated the groundbreaking with ease.

VietACT Sheds Light on Human Trafficking

On Friday, May 12, the Linda Vista Library parking lot served as the staging ground for a candlelight vigil held by VietACT, to help raise and maintain awareness about human trafficking, and its clandestine presence in our local communities. Along with the goals met in these events, VietACT strives to initiate campaigns to influence public policy and public opinion to bring about systematic changes. The organization is dedicated to eradicating human trafficking of Vietnamese victims through collaboration, advocacy and education, for the purpose of supporting, protecting and empowering victims.

Councilmember Frye joined VietACT President Tammy Tran Thi Thien Tam and Deputy Sheriff Rick Castro in opening the event and introducing attendees to this issue. Thanks to VietACT, the attendees of this event now have a very clear picture of what they can do to help end this vicious practice of human trafficking.

For more information, visit vietact.com.



Councilmember Frye, VietACT President Tam and Deputy Sheriff Castro listen on as speakers provide more information about human trafficking. (Picture courtesy of Derick Le Photography)



Attendees of the event included VietACT members, Linda Vista residents, USD, UCSD, Mesa and Grossmont College students, media and numerous passers-by. (Picture courtesy of Derick Le Photography)



2006 EarthWorks Awards



Each year, the San Diego Environmental Services Department and San Diego EarthWorks team up to recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of individuals for their work on behalf of the environment. The event brings together individuals from government, industry, nonprofit organization and private citizens to celebrate.

This year's 16th annual EarthWorks and City of San Diego Recycling awards were presented by Councilmember Donna Frye and County Supervisor Pam Slater-Price, and was held at the City's "Green Building" in Kearny Mesa.

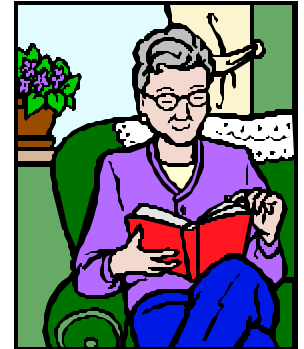
Councilmember Frye thanks all the award recipients for their steadfast dedication!



Councilmember Frye is seen here with Director of Environmental Services Elmer Heap (left) and Principle of Toler Elementary School, Harlan Klein with members of his staff.

READ/San Diego's Free Forum

READ/San Diego, a free adult literacy program of the San Diego Public Library, helps low-literate adults improve their reading, writing and math skills. Last year, 860 San Diegans took part in the program to better their lives.



READ/San Diego and AARP Chapter 17 invite you to a video presentation and panel discussion on the impact of adult literacy in San Diego County and how you can get involved.

This free forum will be held on Saturday, June 17, 2006 from Noon to 2 pm at the Mission Valley Branch Library, located at 2123 Fenton Parkway.

For additional information, please contact READ/San Diego at (619) 527-5475 or visit:

www.sandiego.gov/public-library

Councilmember Frye Visits Linda Vista Civic Association



On May 17, 2006, Councilmember Frye visited the Linda Vista Civic Association (LVCA) during their regularly scheduled meeting. At the request of the community, the Councilmember attended this meeting to answer questions regarding the Fiscal Year 2007 budget, and other issues pertinent to the community.

Before leaving, Councilmember Frye snapped a quick photo with a few residents of Friars Village. From right to left is Conception "Cepi" Batemen, Harold Weiss, Ed Farley, Tisha Rocha, Chuck Hansing, Donna Frye, Joanne Byford, Marty Jones and Kay Hansing.



Important Phone Numbers

Abandoned Vehicles	858 495-7856
Animal Regulation	619-236-4250
Beach & Bay Advisory	619-235-1169
Birth and Death Records	619-237-0502
Brush Abatement	619-533-4444
Building Permits	619-446-5000
Buses/MTS Access	619-233-3004
Canyon Watchers Program	858 292-6484
City Council Docket Info	619-533-4000
City Directory	619-236-5555
Community Service Center	858 581-4111
Code Violations	619-236-5500
Curb Maintenance	619-527-7500
Dead Animal Removal	858 694-7000
Dog Licenses	619-767-2675
Fire Stations	619-533-4300
Graffiti	619-525-8522
Hazardous Materials Hotline	858 694-7000
Housing Commission	619-231-9400
Humane Society	619-299-7012
Libraries	
Balboa	858 573-1390
Clairemont	858 581-9935
Linda Vista	858 573-1399
North Clairemont	858 581-9931
Serra Mesa	858 573-1396
Litter Control	858 492-5010
Noise Regulation	619-236-5500
Office of Small Business	619-685-1390
Park and Recreation	619-525-8219
Parking Citations	619-236-7145
Police: Non-Emergency	619-531-2000
Pot Hole Hotline	619-527-7500
Recreation Centers	
Kearny Mesa	858 573-1387
Linda Vista	858 573-1392
North Clairemont	858 581-9926
Serra Mesa	858 573-1408
South Clairemont	858 581-9924
Tecolote	858 581-9930
Recycling Hotline	858 694-7000
Senior Citizens Services	619-236-6905
Serra Mesa Community Connection	858 565-2473
Sewer Repair/Spills	619-515-3525
Sidewalk Maintenance	619-527-7500
Stormwater Pollution Hotline	619-235-1000
Street Lights	619-527-7500
Street Sweeping	619-527-7500
Traffic Control	619-533-3126
Tree Maintenance	619-527-7500
Water Emergency	619-515-3525
Water Utilities	619-515-3500
Zoning Regulation Info	619-236-5555

District Six Community Meetings

Balboa Avenue Citizens Advisory Committee

Place: Clairemont Community Service Center,
4731 Clairemont Drive
When: 4th Wednesday/Month
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Clairemont Town Council

Place: Clairemont High School Cafeteria,
4150 Ute Drive
When: 1st Thursday/Month
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Clairemont Mesa Planning Committee

Place: Clairemont Friendship Senior Center,
4425 Bannock Ave.
When: 3rd Tuesday/Month
Time: 6:30 p.m.

Kearny Mesa Planning Group

Place: National University,
9388 Light Wave # 114
When: 3rd Wednesday/Month
Time: 12:00 p.m.

Linda Vista Civic Association

Place: Baha'i Center
6545 Alcala Knolls Drive
When: 3rd Thursday/Month
Time: 6:30 p.m.

Linda Vista Planning Group

Place: Linda Vista Library,
2160 Ulric Street
When: 4th Monday/Month
Time: 6:00 p.m.

Mission Bay Park Committee

Place: Rotating Venue
When: 1st Tuesday/Month
Time: 6:00 p.m.

Mission Valley Community Council

Place: Mission Valley Library,
2123 Fenton Parkway
When: 3rd Wednesday/Odd Months
Time: 6:00 p.m.

Mission Valley Unified Planning Committee

Place: Mission Valley Library,
2123 Fenton Parkway
When: 1st Wednesday/Month
Time: 12:00 p.m.

Serra Mesa Community Council

Place: ARC, 9575 Aero Drive
When: 4th Wednesday/Month
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Serra Mesa Planning Group

Place: Taft Junior High School,
9191 Gramercy Dr.
When: 3rd Thursday/Month
Time: 7:00 p.m.



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